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(G) BRAZZAVILLE 1203, (H) BRASILIA 6671

1. DUE TO LAST MINUTE REQUEST FOR QUALIFIED CONFERENCE PARTICIPANT AND SPECIFIC INFORMATION RE AVAILABILITY OF TRAVEL AND PER DIEM ALLOTMENTS CONTAINED IN REFTEL A, WE WORKED HARD, TOGETHER WITH GOCB MINISTRY OF HEALTH, TO ARRANGE ALL PARTICULARS. IT WAS NECESSARY FOR MINISTER OF HEALTH TO NOMINATE AND HAVE MME. DIAFOUKA CONFIRMED BY GOCB, TO SAY NOTHING OF MYRIAD OF PERSONAL ARRANGEMENTS WHICH HAD TO BE MADE. THIS DONE (REFTELS B,C,D), WE WERE RATHER INCREDULOUS TO LEARN SUBSEQUENTLY THAT TRAVEL AND PER DIEM EXPENSES WOULD NOT BE PAID (REFTEL E). FURTHER, OUR REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION, REFTEL F, WENT UNANSWERED FOR 9 DAYS.

2. WE ARE NOW LEFT WITH A JUSTIFIABLY ANGRY
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MINSITRY OF HEALTH AND A CONFERENCE PARTICIPANT WHOM WE HAD TOLD WOULD BE IN BRAZIL ON AUGUST 27. WE CAN GIVE THEM NEITHER A REASONABLE NOR ADEQUATE EXPLANATION.

3. REQUEST YOU PROVIDE US WITH PARTICULARS NECESSARY FOR US TO UNDERSTAND WHAT HAPPENED AND FOR US TO USE TO EXPLAIN THE SITUATION TO DR. LOEMBE AND MME. DIAFOUKA.

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